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DEPT FOR HUMMEL
BANGKOK AND RANGOON FOR AMBASSADORS

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1. IN ORDER TO DISCUSS IBMND EXPANDED ACTIVITY IN THE GOLDEN TRIANGLE, I HAVE PRESSED FOR AN APPOINTMENT WITH THE PREMIER FOR DECEMBER 27 OR 28. ALTHOUGH I THINK THAT WHAT AMBASSADOR WHITEHOUSE HAS REFERRED TO IN REF C, PARA FIVE, IS HIGHLY PERTINENT AND IS CONSISTENT WITH PREMIER CHIANG'S STATEMENT REF D, IN MY JUDGEMENT IT WOULD STILL BE ADVISABLE FOR ME TO MAKE AN APPROACH ALONG THE GENERAL LINES OF REF A. EVEN WITH THE BEST INTENTIONS I THINK THAT IF THE ROC GOES AHEAD WITH THE PLANS DESCRIBED REF A, IBMND WOULD APPEAR TO BE INVOLVED IN DRUG TRAFFICKING, WHETHER IT ACTUALLY IS OR NOT, AND WOULD IN FACT BE SUPPORTING THOSE WHO ARE INVOLVED.

2. THEREFORE, UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED, I INTEND TO MAKE
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MY DEMARCHE TO THE PREMIER AND WILL NEED CLEAR INSTRUCTIONS ON POINTS RAISED REFS B AND C AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES, I WOULD NOT VOLUNTEER TO THE PREMIER THAT WE ARE ALSO INFORMING THE RTG.
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